

Notice of Allowability	Application No.	Applicant(s)	
	09/824,340	QUINTERO ET AL.	
	Examiner	Art Unit	
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1. ☒ This communication is responsive to the amendment filed November 15, 2004.
 2. ☒ The allowed claim(s) is/are 1 and 3-18.
 3. ☒ The drawings filed on 02 April 2001 are accepted by the Examiner.
 4. ☐ Acknowledgment is made of a claim for foreign priority under 35 U.S.C. § 119(a)-(d) or (f).
 - a) ☐ All b) ☐ Some* c) ☐ None of the:
 1. ☐ Certified copies of the priority documents have been received.
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5. ☐ A SUBSTITUTE OATH OR DECLARATION must be submitted. Note the attached EXAMINER'S AMENDMENT or NOTICE OF INFORMAL PATENT APPLICATION (PTO-152) which gives reason(s) why the oath or declaration is deficient.
6. ☐ CORRECTED DRAWINGS (as "replacement sheets") must be submitted.
 - (a) ☐ including changes required by the Notice of Draftsperson's Patent Drawing Review (PTO-948) attached
 - 1) ☐ hereto or 2) ☐ to Paper No./Mail Date _____.
 - (b) ☐ including changes required by the attached Examiner's Amendment / Comment or in the Office action of Paper No./Mail Date _____.

Identifying indicia such as the application number (see 37 CFR 1.84(c)) should be written on the drawings in the front (not the back) of each sheet. Replacement sheet(s) should be labeled as such in the header according to 37 CFR 1.121(d).
7. ☐ DEPOSIT OF and/or INFORMATION about the deposit of BIOLOGICAL MATERIAL must be submitted. Note the attached Examiner's comment regarding REQUIREMENT FOR THE DEPOSIT OF BIOLOGICAL MATERIAL.

Attachment(s)

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| <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. <input type="checkbox"/> Notice of References Cited (PTO-892) 2. <input type="checkbox"/> Notice of Draftsperson's Patent Drawing Review (PTO-948) 3. <input type="checkbox"/> Information Disclosure Statements (PTO-1449 or PTO/SB/08),
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EXAMINER'S AMENDMENT

1. An examiner's amendment to the record appears below. Should the changes and/or additions be unacceptable to applicant, an amendment may be filed as provided by 37 CFR 1.312. To ensure consideration of such an amendment, it **MUST** be submitted no later than the payment of the issue fee.

2. Authorization for this examiner's amendment was given in a telephone interview with Derrick Michael Reid (Reg. No. 32,096) on March 3, 2005.

3. The applicant has been amended as follow:

In the claims:

Claim 1, line 12, after the words "reporting the matches to the user system", have been inserted -- wherein, the content data is web content data, the data systems are web servers storing the web content data, the network is the internet, the web server having a web site location identified by a uniform resource locator (URL) that indicates the web content data, the user system comprises a web browser for communication with the monitoring system over the internet, and the monitoring system is a web monitoring server for receiving the search criteria from the user browser and for accessing the web content data of the web server --.

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Claim 2, canceled.

Claim 12, line 2, after the words "server web content data" Applicant deleted -- of a web server system among a plurality of web servers connected to a user system among plurality of user system having respective user browser, all of which are interconnected through the internet using internet protocol address, the web content indicated by a URL a portion of which indicates the web content --.

Line 7, after the words " , the method comprising the steps of receiving" Applicant inserted -- by the monitoring server--.

Line 8, after the words "search criteria from", applicant deleted -- the— and insert "a".

Line 9, after the words "user system " applicant inserted -- for monitoring web content data of a web server system among a plurality of web servers connected to a user system among a plurality of user systems having respective user browsers, all of the servers and the browsers are interconnected through the internet using internet protocol addresses, the web content data being indicated by a URL, a portion of the URL indicating the web server,--.

5. The following is an examiner's statement of reasons for allowance:

In interpreting the claims, in light of the specification and the applicant's arguments filed on November 15, 2004, the Examiner finds the claimed invention to be patentably distinct from the prior art of record.

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In regard to claims 1, 3-18, none of the prior art teach or suggest a method of monitoring by a monitoring system a data system among a plurality of data systems connected to a user system among a plurality of user systems all of which systems are interconnected through a network, the method comprising the steps of, receiving search criteria from the user system, retrieving content data from the data system, repeating the retrieving step at regular intervals, determining matches for each of the retrieving steps when the content data matches the search criteria at each of the regular intervals, and reporting the matches to the user system, and wherein, the content data is web content data, the data systems are web servers storing the web content data, the network is the internet, the web server having a web site location identified by a uniform resource locator (URL) that indicates the web content data, the user system comprises a web browser for communication with the monitoring system over the internet, and the monitoring system is a web monitoring server for receiving the search criteria from the user browser and for accessing the web content data of the web server.

All dependent claims further limit the independent claim. Therefore, they are also allowed.

Any comments considered necessary by applicant must be submitted no later than the payment of the issue fee and, to avoid processing delays, should preferably accompany the issue fee. Such submissions should be clearly labeled "Comments on Statement of Reasons for Allowance."

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6. Any inquiries concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to **Tammy T. Nguyen** who may be reached via telephone at **(571) 272-3929**. The examiner can normally be reached Monday through Friday between 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. eastern standard time.

If you need to send the Examiner, a facsimile transmission regarding this instant application, please send it to **(703) 872-9306**. If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the Examiner's Supervisor, Bill Cuchlinski, may be reached at **(571) 272-3925**.

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